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SUBJ: HANGING SPURS PROTESTS

1. THE FEB. 3 EXECUTION OF ERROL DEAN, CONVICTED KILLER OF A POLICEMAN, WAS THE FOCUS OF A WEEK OF VOCIFEROUS DEMONSTRATIONS CULMINATING IN A "MEMORIAL" MARCH TO THE PRISON WHERE DEAN WAS HANGED. LEADING THE DEMONSTRATORS, WHO DEMANDED AN EXHUMATION TO LOCATE A DISPUTED MISSING BULLET, WERE EDMUND MOXEY (MP - COCONUT GROVE) AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE PLP DISSIDENT CAUCUS. MOXEY AND OTHERS WHO ARE CHARGED WITH PARADING WITHOUT A PERMIT, PLEADED NOT GUILTY FEB. 4. THEY ARE BEING DEFENDED BY FNM LEADER CECIL WALLACE-WHITFIELD.

2. THE DEMONSTRATIONS, THE LARGEST AND MOST FERVENT IN RECENT MEMORY, ILLUSTRATE AGAIN THE NEW HIGH VISIBILITY ROLE OF THE PLP DISSIDENTS WHO, THROUGHOUT JANUARY, HAVE BEEN GETTING OUT AHEAD OF THE PARTY LEADERSHIP ON ISSUES. A BIG LOSER IN THE AFFAIR MUST BE PLP-REGULAR NORMAN GAY (MP-BAINSTOWN) WHO DERIDED HIS YOUNG CONSTITUENTS WHO WERE IN THE FOREFRONT OF THE PROTEST (DEAN WAS A BAINSTOWNER). ANOTHER LOSER REGARDLESS OF THE MERITS OF DEAN'S CASE MUST BE RESPECT FOR LAW AND ORDER IN A SOCIETY ALREADY BESET BY A SPIRALING CRIME RATE.  
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